

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Civil Supplies - Mahabubnagar District – Certain irregularities committed by the staff during the procurement of the paddy under MSP in Rabi 2001–2002 – Sri M.A.Wajid, Dy.Tahsildar(Enft.), Achampet, Mahabubnagar District now retired from service on 31.7.2007 – Departmental Proceedings under Rule-20 of APCS (CC & A) Rules, 1991 – Articles of charges issued – Explanation submitted – Financial loss of the Government recovered from pensionary benefits –proposed to withhold 50% of the pension and gratuity for a period of five years, Under Rule-9(1) of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rule, 1980 - Orders – Issued.

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CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & CIVIL SUPPLIES (VS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 27

Dated: 28-06-2012.  
Read the following:-

1. From the CCS Ref.No.Admn.I(3)/219/2003, Dt.16.11.2009.
2. Govt. Memo.No.867/VS/2009-2, Dated 27-10-2010.
3. Govt. Memo.No.867/VS/2009-3, Dated 20-04-2011
4. From the Secy., APPSC Lr.No.954/RT/3/2012, Dt.12.06.2012.

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**ORDER:**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Commissioner of Civil Supplies, A.P.Hyderabad has stated that during the Rabi 2001-2002 the following staff members were deputed to paddy purchasing centers, Achampet, Mahabubnagar District for purchase of paddy from the farmers by participating in bidding in the Market yards (1) Sri M.A.Wajid, Dy.Tahsildar (Enf.), Achampet, (2) Sri M.Krishnaiah, Agricultural Extension Officer, Achampet and (3) Sri T.Hanumantha Reddy, Agricultural Extension Officer, Achampet, Mahabubnagar District. A total quantity of 4077.750 MTs of paddy was purchased by the above (3) incharges, stored the same at Agricultural Market Yard, Achampet. Later on it is noticed that even after allowing 4% storage loss of 163.110 MTs on 4077.750 Mts purchases, still there is a 71.469 Mts loss which will come to Rs.4, 00,226-00 financial loss to the Government. An enquiry has been conducted and the Enquiry Officer has held that all the three persons are equally responsible for the lapses and recommended for recovery from all the three persons. The loss amount apportioned equally among three charged officers. The other two charged officers have already paid their equal share of assessed amount of Rs.1, 33,409-00 debited to the A.P.S.C.S.C.Ltd. The Commissioner of Civil Supplies has therefore requested to issue appropriate order keeping in view of the finding of the Enquiry Officer.

2. Government after careful consideration of the matter observed that Sri M.A.Wajid, Dy.Tahsildar (Enf.), Achampet, (Retd.) was found responsible by neglecting his legitimate duties in supervision of the storage of stock and charges framed against him are held proved.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail and proposed to recover an amount of **Rs.1,33,409/-**, being 3<sup>rd</sup> share of the misused amount by Sri M.A. Wajid, Dy.Tahsildar(Retd.), Achampet from his pensionary benefits under Rule 9(7) of A.P.vised Pension Rules, 1980, besides imposing punishment on him for his misconduct as per Rule 9(1) of A.P.R.P.Rules, 1980 by following due procedure. Accordingly, in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, orders were issued to recover the same i.e., being 3<sup>rd</sup> share of the misused amount from his pensionary benefits under Rule 9(7) of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

4. Government have provisionally decided to withhold 50% of the pension and gratuity of Sri M.A. Wajid, Dy.Tahsildar(Retd.), Achampet for a period of 5 years under Rule 9(1) (2) of the A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 on the ground of neglecting his legitimate duties by not supervising the storage of stock during the tenure of his service and communicated the same in the Memo., third read above directing him to show cause within 15 days from the date of receipt of the Memo., as to why his 50% pension and Gratuity should not be withheld for a period of 5 years, failing which, it will be construed that he has no explanation to offer, and further action will be taken, as per the material available in the file.

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5. Sri M.A. Wajid, Dy.Tahsildar(Retd.), Achamapet has not submitted any his written explanation to the said show cause noticed.

6. Government have examined the matter further in consultation with advisory Departments and, after careful consideration hereby withhold 50% of pension and gratuity for a period of five years of Sri M.A.Wajid, Dy.Tahsildar(Retd.), Achamapet in exercise of the powers conferred Under Rule-9(1) of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, on the ground that neglecting his legitimate duties in supervision of the storage of stock and charges framed against him are held proved.

7. The Commissioner of Civil Supplies, A.P. Hyderabad shall take necessary further action in the matter.

( BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

HARPREET SINGH,  
E.O.SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Individual.  
(Through the Commissioner Of Civil Supplies, A.P. Hyderabad.)  
The Commissioner of Civil Supplies, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Vigilance Commissioner, A.P.Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.  
The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.  
The Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.  
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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER.